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On Wednesday, February 8, 1984, beginning at 9:00 a.m., the Subcommittee on Legislation of the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence will conduct a public hearing on proposals to exempt certain CIA operational files from the search, review, and disclosure provisions of the Freedom of Information Act.

The hearing will focus on three bills: H.R. 3460, H.R. 4431, and S. 1324.

The Subcommittee is chaired by Representative Romano L. Mazzoli (D-Ky). The other Members are: Wyche Fowler (D-Ga), Louis Stokes (D-Oh), G. William Whitehurst, (R-Va), and William F. Goodling, (R-Pa). The Chairman of the full Committee, Edward P. Boland (D-Mass), is also a Member of the Subcommittee.

The hearing will be held in Room H-405, U.S. Capitol. A witness list is attached.

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H-405-Capitol Building

Witnesses

Morning Session (9:00 a.m.)

John N. McMahon	Deputy Director of Central Intelligence
Mary C. Lawton	Counsel for Intelligence Policy, U.S. Department of Justice
Mark H. Lynch	Counsel, American Civil Liberties Union

Afternoon Session (1:30 p.m.)

John H. Shenefield	Former Associate Attorney General, partner--Milbank, Tweed, Hadley & McCloy, representing the ABA Standing Committee on Law and National Security
Charles S. Rowe	Editor and Publisher, <u>The Free Lance Star</u> , Fredericksburg, Virginia, representing the American Newspaper Publishers Association
Samuel Gammon	Executive Director, National Coordinating Committee for the Promotion of History, representing the Organization of American Historians and the American Historical Association